

Parcel Advisory Board Meeting

Friday, March 24, 2023

9:00 – 10:00 AM

Board Members Present

Chris Cochran (ACCD)

Jill Remick (TAX)

Rob White (VTrans)

Billy Coster (ANR)

Johnathan Croft (VTrans)

Karen Horn (VLCT)

Pete Fellows (VAPDA/RPC's)

Board Members Absent

Randy Otis (Accepted, not present) (VSLS)

VCGI Staff Present

John E. Adams, Dylan Broderick, Chaveli Miles, Tim Terway

Called to Order 9:02 AM

Parcel Program Update

Overview of Parcel Program now that it is 3+ years in presented by Chaveli Miles, Dylan Broderick of VCGI. Emphasis on increasing participation among towns and ongoing data quality issues, opportunities to improve program and its products.

DISCUSSION

- KH of VLCT agrees to outreach to towns not participating / submitting updates; VCGI to follow up on applications/tools/talking points.
- JR of TAX agrees that the board should weigh in on guidance to Tax for current reappraisal bill, now is the time given current reappraisal bill and its components.
- JR of TAX: We ideally need state funding for towns for parcel maintenance to help increase participation.
- Discussion on working group members:
 - o VALA - Professional Assessor + Volunteer lister ideal.
 - o VLCT
 - o ACCD
 - o VHFA – insight on opportunities for housing data collection
 - o VAPDA
 - o VCGI
- PF of VAPDA/RPC: make parcel status viewer obvious where VCGI receives data from vendors that is non-compliant to standard / without SPAN. Let towns know.
- JR of TAX: VCGI should continue to develop recommendations to have on hand for anticipated reappraisal bill and subsequent report.
- Board agrees to take up future makeup of parcel advisory body plus review of recommendations to Tax in a September 2023 meeting.
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Meeting adjourned 9:59 AM.